

Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY NAIROBI
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7768
INFO AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD
AMCONSUL KARACHI

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SY CHANNEL

DEPT. FOR DASS; ISLAMABAD FOR BLISS/O'HANLON; KARACHI FOR RSS
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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ASEC
SUBJECT: RSO REPLACEMENT - ISLAMABAD

REF: (A) STATE 091251, (B) ISLAMABAD 4080 (NOTAL)

1. ADMIN COUNSELOR BLISS (REFTEL B) HAS EXPRESSED CONCERN THAT SHOULD
PRESENT POLITICAL UNREST IN PAKISTAN PERSIST OR EVEN ABATE SOMEWHAT,
THAT THERE EXIST A VALID NEED FOR RSO CONTINUITY IN PAKISTAN.

2. EVEN THOUGH I RECOGNIZE MANPOWER LIMITATIONS WITH WHICH WE ARE
CONFRONTED, AT PRESENT, PAKISTAN IS A TROUBLE SPOT WITH RIOTS,
DEMONSTRATIONS, CURFEWS AND NOW MARTIAL LAW IN THE BIGGER CITIES.
IT DOES NOT APPEAR THAT CONDITIONS WILL IMPROVE. WE ARE NOW
RECEIVING SERIOUS THREATS DIRECTED AGAINST AMERICANS. THE RSO HAS
BEEN ACTIVELY ENGAGED THROUGHOUT HIS REGION IN PROVIDING GUIDANCE
DIRECTION TO HIS POSTS. CURRENT RSO ACTIVITIES PERSONIFY THE ROLE OF
AN RSO IN EMERGENCY SITUATION.

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3. WHATEVER IT TAKES, BELIEVE WE MUST PLAN TO COVER PAKISTAN WITH
CONTACT REPLACEMENT, TDO OR OTHERWISE. I DO NOT HAVE A FIELD
SOLUTION, GIVEN THE PENDING COVERAGE FOR KUWAIT UTILIZING RSOS
FROM DELHI, Dacca AND KABUL. IF IT MUST BE DONE FROM THE FIELD I
RELUCTANTLY RECOMMEND THAT RSO SPAULDINGS REQUEST FOR HOME LEAVE
BE DELAYED UNTIL COVERAGE AT ISLAMABAD AND KUWAIT CAN BE COMPLETED.

4. PLEASE ADVISE.
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